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The following cities, on the other hand, had a lower rate of mortality than Berlin, namely: Hamburg, Frankfort-on-the-Main, Brunswick, Magdeburg, Dresden, Charlottenburg (with 10.8), Schöneberg (with 9.5), and also London. Since the foregoing week the decrease in the number of deaths has been principally among children in the first year of life. The infant death rate fell from 4.7 per year and thousand in the preceding week to 3.8 in this week, being thereby equal to the Hamburg figure, but lower than the rates of Munich and Leipzig. There was a noticeable decline in diseases of the digestive organs, while those of the respiratory organs showed an increase, infectious diseases showing no important variation. There were registered 73 deaths from cholera and catarrh of the stomach and intestines (including 70 infants), 83 deaths from tuberculosis (as compared with 56 in the preceding week), 69 deaths from diseases of the respiratory organs, 10 deaths from scarlet fever, 8 deaths from whooping cough, 5 deaths from measles, 4 deaths from influenza, and 4 deaths from enteric (typhoid) fever. Finally, 21 persons died by violence.

GUATEMALA.

Report from Livingston, fruit port.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Peters reports as follows: Week ended October 21, 1905. Present officially estimated population, 3,500. No deaths; 1 case convalescent yellow fever, sick from October 9 to 15; prevailing diseases, malarial and yellow fevers; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, infected.

A bill of health was issued to the following-named vessel:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Oct. 18	Belize.	Mobile	20

HAWAII.

Plague deaths at Honolulu.

HONOLULU, October 31, 1905.

WYMAN, Washington:

Two fatal plague October 30, Honolulu.

HOBDY.

HONDURAS.

Report from Ceiba, fruit port.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Robertson reports as follows: Week ended October 28, 1905. Present officially estimated population, about 4,000; 1 death; prevailing disease, malarial; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.